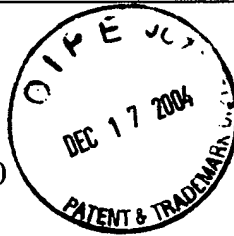


## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<b>Inventor(s):</b> HAROLD DUANE SAUNDERS	<b>Examiner:</b> Shumaya B. Ali
<b>Appln. No.:</b> 10/054,631	<b>Group Art Unit:</b> 3743
<b>Filing Date:</b> January 22, 2002	
<b>Title:</b> MULTI-AXIS CERVICAL AND LUMBAR TRACTION TABLE	<b>Docket No.</b> 51895-231295

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



I CERTIFY THAT, ON DECEMBER 13, 2004, THIS PAPER IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P. O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450.

Kristine Stefano

**RESUBMISSION OF FOREIGN AND NON-PATENT LITERATURE  
FILED IN INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

The enclosed documents were cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 2, 2002, in connection with the above-captioned patent application.

At the request of Examiner Shumaya B. Ali, we are resubmitting herewith copies of the foreign and non-patent literature cited in above-mentioned Information Disclosure Statement. A copy of the return postcard date stamped October 7, 2002 by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is also enclosed as evidence that the cited references were enclosed with the Information Disclosure Statement when initially filed.

It is respectfully requested that the enclosed documents be entered in connection with the above-noted patent application and forwarded to Examiner Shumaya B. Ali.

No fee is believed to be necessary. Should any fee be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and notify us of the same.

Respectfully Submitted,

HAROLD DUANE SAUNDERS

By:

Karl G. Schwappach, #35,786  
FAEGRE & BENSON LLP  
2200 Wells Fargo Center  
90 South Seventh Street  
Minneapolis, MN 55402-3901  
612/766-7773

Dated: December 13, 2004



THIS WILL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

- Information Disclosure Statement with Certificate of Mailing (1 page)
- Form PTO/SB/08A (5 pages) with cited references

Applicant: H. DUANE SAUNDERS

Serial No: 10/054,631

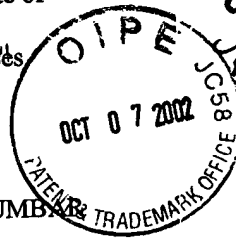
Filed: 1/22/2002

For: MULTI-AXIS CERVICAL AND LUMBAR  
TRACTION TABLE

Docket No.: 51895-231295

KGS:kjh

Date mailed: October 2, 2002



RECEIVED  
OCT 15 2002